



In commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the founding of the city of Columbus on February 14, 1812, the City and 200Columbus are uniting with four neighborhoods to host regional parties at City recreation centers. These four, free, public celebrations join with hundreds of 200Columbus events to honor our city's history, celebrate what we love about Columbus today, and envision the future we are building together.

Each regional birthday event will be free and open to the public thanks to the generous sponsorship of Mount Carmel Health System, Kroger, White Castle, Floyd Browne Group and CT Consultants. The events will include specially designed birthday cakes from Kroger, visits from the Columbus Zoo and Aquarium, refreshments, local entertainment and activities, history discussions and an address from Mayor Coleman.

Come celebrate the communities that make Columbus great. Select a location below and join the fun of these neighborhood birthday parties on the days below. You can find out more about the many events occurring this year by going to: [www.200columbus.com](http://www.200columbus.com)

Location	Area	Party Day	Day of the Week	Time
Dodge Recreation Center: 667 Sullivant Ave. 43115, 614-645-8151	West	March 14	Wednesday	5:30pm -8:00pm
Barnett: Recreation Center 1184 Barnett Rd; 43227, 614-645-3065	East	April 12	Thursday	6:00pm-8:30pm
Marion Franklin Recreation Center: 2801 Lockbourne Rd. 43207, 614-645-3160	South	April 13	Friday	5:30pm-9:00pm
Gillie 50+ Recreation Center 4625 Morse Rd. 43229, 614-645-3106	North	April 19	Thursday	5:00pm-9:00pm



Columbus Bicentennial 2012 is a 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to developing a robust and transformative commemoration of the city's bicentennial in 2012 that is a catalyst for greater economic prosperity. The goal for 200columbus is a community that is more inspired, proud and engaged in their progress and the increasing vitality of Columbus. This will lead to a community that is better recognized locally and globally as one of the best places to live and work.